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Applicant: Jiri Babej

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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
Attn: Examiner Jermie Cozart
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Dear Sirs:

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Pursuant to an interview conducted with Examiner Jermie Cozart, Applicant has acknowledged that the Preliminary Amendment filed on January 27, 2004 would be treated as non-responsive to an Office Action mailed on January 22, 2004, which documents crossed in the mail. Applicant has agreed to prepare a response to the official Office Action mailed January 22, 2004 with Examiner Cozart. Pursuant to a second telephone interview with Examiner Cozart, Applicant has agreed to respond to the outstanding Office Action by April 22, 2004, three months from the mailing date of the outstanding Office Action.

Respectfully submitted,

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